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*Autumn's Warmest Breath*

1960 SPRING CATALOG

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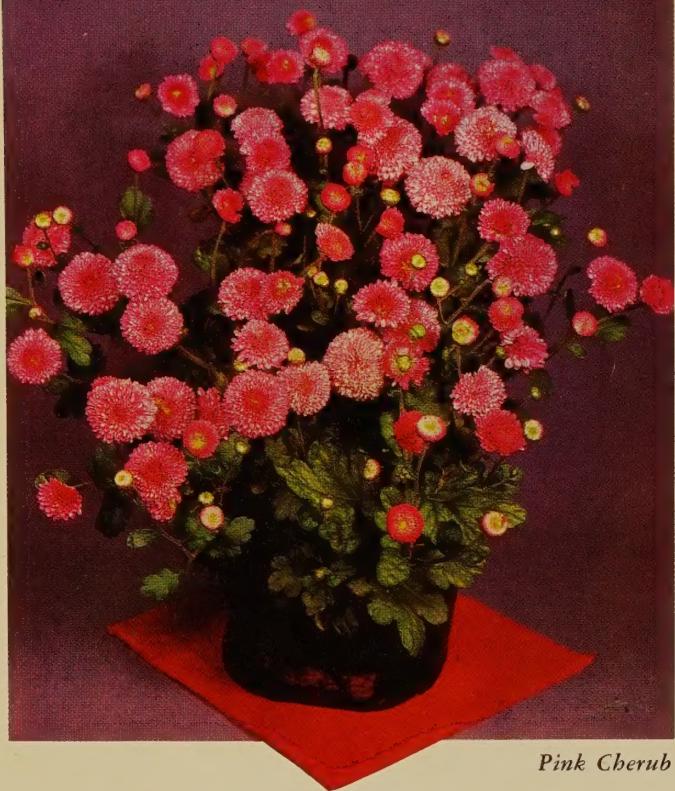
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Pink Cherub

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Mardi Gras

### Mardi Gras



Plant Pat. Applied For — A giant magician, changing its cloak at will! First the huge 4-4 1/2 in. cactus blossom is nearly velvety red — then scorching orange-bronze — finally ripe bronzy yellow. One surprise after another; but, always appealing and novel from mid-September on. Bushy, rounded 20 in. bush of lush foliage. A thrilling succession of mammoth flowers you'll never forget!

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### Pink Cherub



Plant Pat. Applied For — Here the mood changes abruptly to the petite, the saucy. There are scads of globular 1-1 1/2 in. pompons, shining rose pink deepened near the centers. Each pert bloom honeycombed tiers of perfection, bunched into firm little sprays for short arrangements. Bustling, diligent dwarf plant 12-16 in. high charms from Sept. 15 till the "oilman cometh" in haste. Little Miss America, a merry minx.

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Plant Pat. Applied For — Now and then a truly superb mum fairly streaks across the horizon, a floral masterpiece, a certain winner. Such is Headliner, where matchless quality attend amazing liberality. Natty, erect 2 ft. clump of marvelous spray production. Lusciously full, slightly recurving 3 1/2 in. blossom, glowing terra-cotta swelling to gorgeous walnut-coral. Like hallowed old Granny Scovill, but far superior! Magnetic, wondrously different, early — Sept. 25. The Mum time will honor!

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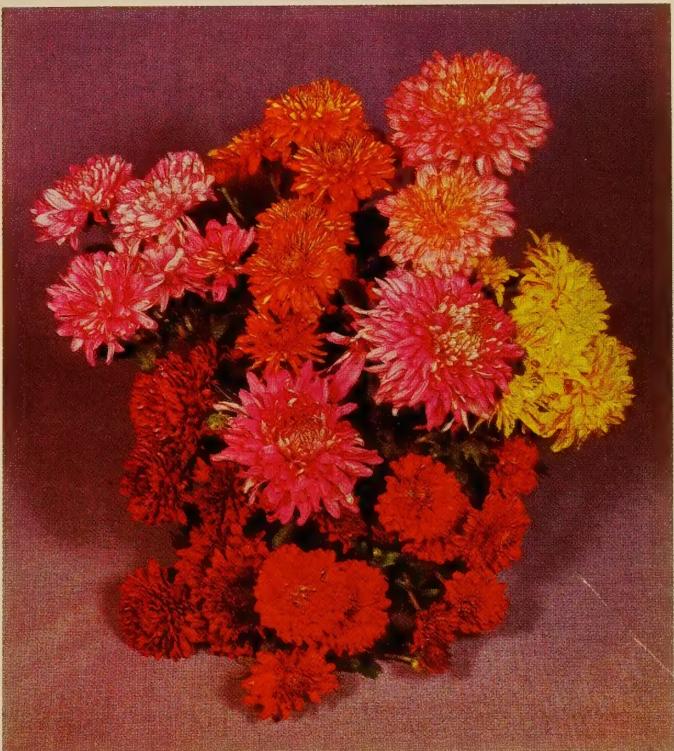
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Girl Friend



GROUP L-R — Top Flair-Burning Bronze — Girl Friend  
Bottom Crimson Lady — Showpiece — Emperor



**BURNING BRONZE** — (Bristol) Plant Pat. No. 1877 — No tangier emblem of fall exists. Lavishly free 28 in. plant aflame with tingling bronze, tangerine and scarlet. Fine sprays, very double 2 1/2 in. blossom. Sept. 25.

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**CRIMSON LADY** — Plant Pat. Applied For — The trim "lady-in-red", whose shapely 3 in. decoratives are glowing crimson. Outstanding petal quality, tidy 15 in. cloaked in deep red after Oct. 1.

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**EMPEROR** — Plant Pat. 1733 — Golden charm from its gay 3 in. flower of lemon-yellow, after bronze buds. Weeks of lively sparkle. Sept. 25.

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**FLAIR** — Plant Pat. Applied For — Non-fading, showy lavender, of sculptured 3 in. blooms grand to cut. Broad 18 in. habit-nearly big cushion. Positive pastel tones, long attractive lavender charmer. Oct. 1.

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**GIRL FRIEND** — (Bristol) Plant Pat. 1791 — Queen of early pink mums, radiantly wholesome, gracefully stalwart. Limber 28 in. stems crowned by superb 3 1/2 in. heads, shell pink deepening to venetian-coral flushes on cooler days. Bubbles over in bouquets, makes whole garden smile! Very early — Sept. 15 — see how it blends with those dwarf marigolds in picture!

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**SHOWPIECE** — (Bristol) Plant Pat. 1876 — Tremendous 4 in. jewels of shimmering royal rose hazed in silver. Long, elegant petals, strong, airy 30 in. clump. Lovely to arrange. Sept. 28.

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**CAMPAINER** — (57-54) Again the September color guard is blessed with a stalwart new cohort. Elm-shaped 2 ft. clump, alert and military, flaring to broad, spirited top. Fine 3 in. cactus of bronze-gold, walnut and rust — sometimes nearly orange after hard frosts. Excellent tangy fall garden accent — desirably early, too. Sept. 22.

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Flaming Pillar and Moonlight Spoon

**FLAMING PILLAR** — (72-55) So brilliant it's almost shocking — so upright it recalls a column of fire! The fieriest late season special, specially tailored for gardens south of central Conn. Huge heads of audacious scarlet to Christmas red, overcast in smoke, touched gold near center. Hundreds of 2 1/2 in. decoratives throng the tensely erect 28 in. clump after Oct. 12. Electric warmth — a show-stopping finale for nature's smash hit — Glorious Autumn!

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**MOONLIGHT SPOON** — (46-55) The earliest, largest and showiest spoon! Moreover, the soft moonlight-primrose shading is unique, insuring divinely compatible arranging. Large tasty 3 1/2 in. spoons flatten into nice sprays to cut after Sept. 20. Very stocky 18-20 in. clumps, deep green foliage. Novel and worthwhile.

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**SPARKLING** — (131-56) Good-humored, ever radiant beams — and so pink! Shining 3 in. decoratives of animated rose-geranium pink, lightly centered gold, very shapely. Stocky 22 in. bush, as wide as tall — drenched in bloom. Really sparkles with joy of bursting health! Oct. 1st.

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Sparkling

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3 each  
(15 in all)  
only  
\$12.90



*1960 Introductions*



Bronze Gremlin

**BRONZE GREMLIN** — An arresting, totally different concoction for the early season. Perky 1 1/2 in. pompons open deep walnut bronze with exciting mahogany eye — then settle into smooth, soft maple walnut tones. Corsage natural, a roly-poly 18 in. mound of color by Sept. 15. Like Gremlin — but more typical fall finery.

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One of our most avidly sought groups.  
Beats the frost — gives color galore —  
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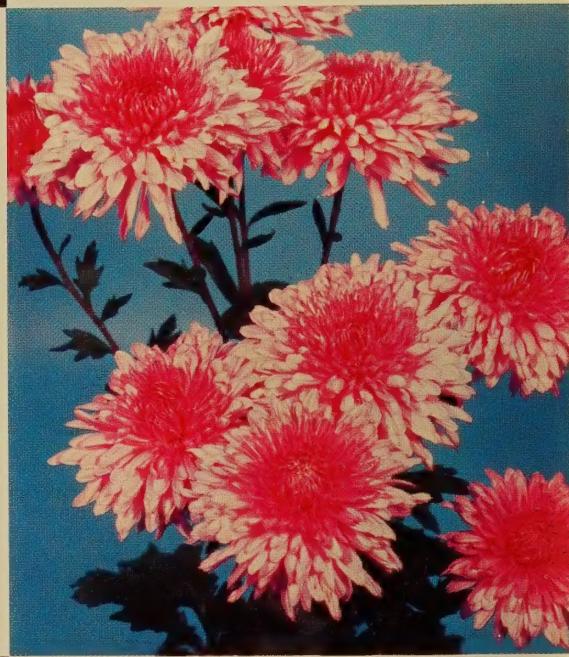
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1 each these 7  
midseason prizes  
only \$4.50  
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Nobility — A New Red To Win Your Affections

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Now The Days Are Crisper —  
It's Mid-October — Cider's Getting Better!  
All Nature Is Mellow  
— But Mums Are Working Overtime!  
7 Standouts For Later Season Enjoyment

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Trevania

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Jackpots Of Autumn  
Compact Dwarfs — Bushels Of Bloom  
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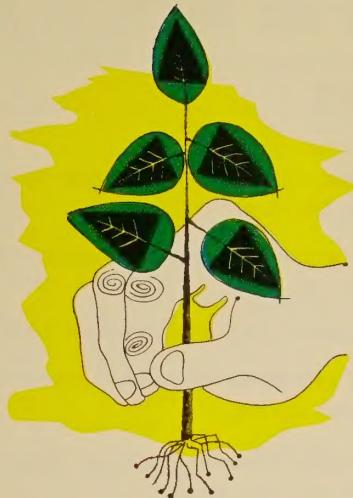
1 each 8 Wonderful Cushions  
(Bowl O'Gold, Corsage Cushion,  
Lipstick, Bronze Queen, Minnehaha,  
Minnpink, Raggedy Ann, Twinkle)  
only \$5.50 (you save 85c)

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# Cushion Mums



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Cushions — "Pushbutton Mums" of Little Care

# Mums are Easy to Grow, A Few Simple Do's and Don'ts on Mum Culture

## DO

1. Give all possible sunlight.
2. Have soil analyzed if uncertain. Your state Experiment Station does this free of charge.
3. Have some humus in soil—peat moss, manure, leaf mold, etc.
4. Pinch! Tip shoots lightly at 6 in., then again each resulting 6 in. Stop all pinching after July 20 to 30, to let buds form. Stockier, more floriferous clumps result.
5. Use 5-10-10, Mum-Gro, etc., to get new roots started first.

## DON'T

1. Plant too early. Wait for frosts to cease. June is ideal in New England.
2. Expect plants to grow instantly. Allow a couple of weeks.
3. Crowd Mums too much. 18 to 24-in. spacing is ideal.
4. Let old plants go undivided. Most varieties should be split each spring.
5. Leave early summer buds on. Keep them removed till new shoots appear.

*More detailed instructions with each shipment, including disbudding routine.*

## Our Guarantee

Shipments occasionally arriving in bad shape will be replaced without charge. Try to let us know within 5 days.

We, you and the plants are all living creatures, apt to fail each other at times. Let's all be tolerant of possible lapses. They surely are not intentional.

Ordering by mail from reputable firms assures you fair treatment. Also the specialist carries the best and latest available.

## Plants We Ship, and When

Mums and some perennials will be from 2 1/4-inch pots, ready to grow for you. Other perennials and shrubs are from field-grown stock.

We ship at proper time for your area, unless you dictate otherwise. You can rely on us to decide properly.

## Postpaid Policy

All orders amounting to \$3.00 or more postpaid east of the Mississippi (there must be some definite line established). West of the Mississippi, please add 10% to order.

Please add 50c to all orders for handling, packing, etc. That there inflation, again!

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### PRICE TABLE

	Each	3 of a kind	Over 3, at each rate of
	\$0.65	\$1.65	\$0.53
	.75	2.00	.64
	.85	2.35	.70
	1.00	2.75	.82
	1.25	3.50	1.00

### FINALLY, JUST A FEW BRIEF NOTES . . .

1. Bristol Mums are strong potted plants, not just rooted cuttings.
2. We recommend spring planting only, for northern areas.
3. "3 for \$2.75," for instance, means 3 of that one variety, not 2 of one, and 1 of some other.
4. Full cultural instructions accompany each shipment. Don't be frightened. Mums are easy to grow and enjoy!
5. Varietal colors, performances, dates of bloom, etc., may vary in different localities and soils. We judge mainly on results at Bristol.
6. Thanks for your continued patronage. We hope to remain friends for years to come.

## BRISTOL MUMS - *Autumn's Warmest Breath!*

Can you imagine Fall without Chrysanthemums' tangy, heady presence? How barren, how woefully bare of floral color would our borders be!

We try to maintain the best retail listing of outstanding mums of all types. Spiders — Football Mums — giant Decoratives for regal majesty. Pompons — Buttons — Cushions for vivacious warmth. Just about any type of prominence! All-America Winners, our own introductions, the best by test from other American breeders and England's fantastic disbuds. We have them all!

To go like '60 you need the newest and best!

*No flower lasts longer in water than the Mum.*



# BRISTOL MUMS

Condensed Alphabetically By Type.  
ALL FIGURES BASED ON NORMAL PERFORMANCES AT BRISTOL.  
DECORATIVES  
Long-petaled doubles of good size. "Aster-flowered" to many.



Name	Height (Ins.)	Date of Bloom	Price Each	3	Name	Height (Ins.)	Date of Bloom	Price Each	3
ABUNDANCE. (Bristol) III. P. 5 — Hearty 3½ in. blooms, a wheatfield canvas of smoky bronze, China-gold and amber-butterscotch. Stupendous early production, a friend indeed .....	22	Sept. 30	\$0.75	\$2.00	GARDENIA — Lovely, full 3½ in. blossom, glistening creamy white, notably upright growth .....	24	Oct. 1	.75	2.00
ADMIRATION. (Bristol) — Engaging symphony of shining peach-salmon-fawn-reddish gold. Nice sprays, 3 in. blooms, erect stature.....	26	Sept. 28	.65	1.65	GRACE BRADSHAW. III. P. 7 — Very pure white, to 4 in. if disbudded. Unbounded vigor for late areas.....	24	Oct. 8	.75	2.00
APACHE. III. P. 15—Dashing 3½ in. cactus, quilled petals afame in brilliant oriental red to reddish bronze.....	24	Sept. 28	.75	2.00	HUNTSMAN. (Bristol) III. P. 7 — Unmatched for swashbuckling vigor, hardiness and color. Peerless blazing scarlet tinted orange-bronze .....	30	Oct. 5	.65	1.65
ARISTOCRAT. (Bristol)—Sheer witchery, these ornate 3½ in. blossoms of claret over deep cerise .....	24	Sept. 27	.75	2.00	JOHN FURST. III. P. 7 — Virility to burn as it warms the October scene. Robust 3 in. blooms, brilliant orange-bronze, partially quilled. Cuts nicely—a choice addition.....	30	Oct. 5	.75	2.00
ARTIST'S DELIGHT. (Bristol) — Unbelievably lovely pastel coral-geranium pink. Well groomed 3 in. flower.....	24	Sept. 27	.85	2.35	KING'S RANSOM. (Bristol) III. P. 7 — Fearlessly erect pillar, capped by vibrant 2½ in. crowns of rich yellow. Nothing like it—a golden sentinel.....	28	Oct. 1	.85	2.35
AVALANCHE. III. P. 5 — Cherished early white, fluffy, snowy 3½ in. flowers, very compact .....	20	Sept. 20	.65	1.65	LADY'S CHOICE—Willowy, but not tense. Soft tones of pearl-ivory to arrange, 3½ in. in size .....	30	Sept. 28	.65	1.65
BETTY. III. P. 6 — Fashionably clad 3 in. bloom, sleekly salmon-pink. Excellent carriage .....	20	Oct. 1	.65	1.65	LADY FAIR. (Bristol) III. P. 5 — Gentle, refined tousle effect in entrancing 3 in. blossom, soft lavender to orchid pink. Sweet recurring more pronounced if disbudded....	28	Oct. 1	.85	2.35
BRONZE GIANT. III. P. 15 — Utterly amazing for great light bronze heads, 5 in. if disbudded .....	30	Sept. 28	.75	2.00	LARRY — New. Exquisitely textured 2½ in. bloom of magically pure white. A neat, stocky package .....	18	Oct. 1	1.00	2.75
CARNIVAL. (Bristol)—No mum more respected in New Jersey latitude. Classic 3 in. blossom, flashing bronze to burnt-orange. Kingly plant .....	30	Oct. 10	.65	1.65	LAVENDER LADY. (Bristol)—Still a mum to be reckoned with, this stalwart old silvery lavender "Queen of the Mums.".....	30	Oct. 1	.65	1.65
CHAMPAGNE — Ladies adore its pastel pearly-cream, queen-sized blossoms.....	32	Oct. 1	.75	2.00	LEE POWELL. III. P. 6 — A solid performer, healthy and handsome. Broad-shouldered 4 in. bloom of gleaming China gold.....	30	Sept. 25	.65	1.65
CHIPPA-RED. (Bristol) III. P. 5 — Eye-catching Turkish red overcast smoky maroon, early.....	24	Sept. 20	.75	2.00	MIKADO. (Bristol) III. P. 15—Each grand 4 in. cactus, lushly recurved, is splendidly robed in velvety Turkish red. Ruddy gold central crest as accent—imagine the thrill to disbud! Sumptuous and prolific, to cut or to electrify the border.....	30	Sept. 28	1.00	2.75
CHIPPEWA—Old standby for northern areas. A fluffy, early mass of aster-purple.....	24	Sept. 20	.65	1.65	MT. HOOD—Extremely useful, globular 3 in. white, abounding on stocky chassis, and early .....	24	Sept. 28	.75	2.00
CINNIBAR — New. Looks good here! Stocky, prolific wedge-shaped, early. Beautiful deep red, 3 in. or more, fine sprays to cut. A lingering delight to us.....	20	Oct. 1	.85	2.35	NEWTON—Bushy, lush plant capable of producing marvelous 4 in. cactus, yellow as molten gold .....	24	Oct. 1	.85	2.35
COPPERSMITH. (Bristol) — Radiant, gem-like burnished terra-cotta to deep amber, magical 3½ in. flower. Strikingly compact.....	20	Sept. 25	.85	2.35	NOBILITY — New. III. P. 6 — Wondrously strong habit, rich gray-green leaves, many velvety dark red blooms, to 3 in. We think it highly ornamental, a plant of character .....	26	Oct. 5	.85	2.35
COURAGEOUS — Favorite deep red, frost-proof 2½ in. blooms of glistening crimson-ruby. Darkly handsome plant, as well.....	26	Oct. 3	.65	1.65	OLD LAVENDER. III. P. 6 — Huge sprays of sparkling silvery lavender, most appealing sight in sun's rays.....	26	Sept. 25	.75	2.00
CRACKERJACK. III. P. 21—New. Impressive grower, nice fall shades of orange to amber-bronze. Faintly incurved 3 in. flowers studded over brawny frame, cuts well.....	24	Sept. 25	.85	2.35	OLIVE LONGLAND—Gently gay 3 in. flower of blended apricot, salmon and bronze. Well-bred animation .....	26	Sept. 25	.65	1.65
CROWNING GLORY. III. P. 6 — A top-notcher, lithely invigorating, cutflower supreme. Noble 3 in. nasturtium-bronze first blessed by red central flush.....	30	Oct. 1	.75	2.00	OSTOSA. III. P. 6 — Tough-fibred early white, certain to proffer hordes of waxyen 2½ in. spheres. Very reliable.....	20	Sept. 20	.75	2.00
DANDY — New. Fascinating 3 in. copper-bronze blooms, incurved in novel profusion, and early, too.....	24	Sept. 22	.75	2.00	PASTELLE. (Bristol) III. P. 15—Refined artistry, plus mammoth 4 in. blossoms in tones of fawn, beige, coral, peach. Breathtaking for sheer good taste.....	28	Oct. 1	.75	2.00
DARK KNIGHT. (Bristol) III. P. 5 — Ruggedly imposing 2½ in. velvety ruby-crimson, grand to cut. Quite early, but really a picture after frosts—even into November.....	24	Sept. 28	.85	2.35	PRAIRIE MOON. III. P. 21—New. Topflight 3½ in. flowers, faintly incurved, of rich cream-white, fine, well-knit clump. Early....	28	Sept. 20	1.00	2.75
EARLY GLEAM. (Bristol) — Essentially earlier Coppersmith, a season-welcoming bronze.....	20	Sept. 15	.75	2.00	PURPLE HEART—Pleasing novelty, for 3 in. recurses of bright grape-stained purple may quill some petals. Silvery whispers also entice, blooms keep well.....	26	Sept. 28	.85	2.35
EUGENE A. WANDER. (Bristol)—Still a sight for eager eyes in early fall. Warm golden yellow, perhaps bronze-streaked, to 3½ in.	22	Sept. 20	.65	1.65	PURPLE WATERS. III. P. 5 — Head-spinning shimmer as early crimson-purple jewels burst buds. Natty 3 in. flowers.....	24	Sept. 22	.75	2.00
EVELYN DEVANEY — Delicately tinted 3 in. pearl-shell pink, on lusty bush.....	24	Sept. 28	.75	2.00	QUICKSILVER. (Bristol) III. P. 5 — Simply a lavish mass of fluffy 3½ in. blooms, creamy white, in terrific sprays. Unbelievably fruitful clump .....	20	Sept. 25	.85	2.35
FASCINATION. (Bristol) III. P. 15—Full-bodied "glamazon", gorgeous 4 in. silvery lavender pink, rarely white. Can be amazing....	26	Sept. 25	.75	2.00					
FLAMBOYANT. (Bristol) III. P. 5 — No more spectacular, reliably early mum exists. Audacious blaze of tangerine - scarlet, orange, and bronze in torrid outpourings..	28	Sept. 25	.75	2.00					
FOOTBALL BRONZE—Curious 3½ in. in-curves, usually deep bronze, sometimes surprisingly yellow .....	30	Sept. 25	.75	2.00					

# DECORATIVE MUMS, continued

Name	Height (In.)	Date of Bloom	Price Each	3
RED VELVET. (Bristol)—Practically a red standard of excellence. Gorgeous 3 in. velvety crimson, rigidly self-reliant.....	24	Oct. 5	.65	1.65
RUBY BREITHAUP. III. P. 7—Many treasure its deep-layered cream-primrose blooms, its spiky petals, its firmly seated habit. Disbuds to 4 in. or more.....	24	Oct. 8	.75	2.00
SPINDRIFT. (Bristol)—Lacquered 3 in. white, like choicest dahlia. Gorgeous to arrange, so flawless are blossoms.....	26	Oct. 3	.75	2.00
STYLISH. (Bristol) III. P. 6—Graceful 3 in. cactus, definitely recurved, a sophisticated adventure to grow. Intriguing silvery vermillion, old rose, raspberry and cerise nuances all dwell in harmony.....	28	Sept. 28	.85	2.35
SUN DANCE. III. P. 5—Giant sprays of warm 3 in. lemon-butter yellow throng the hardy bush. Sunlit brown the keynote here.....	30	Oct. 1	.75	2.00
TONKA. III. P. 21—New. Well received in northern states, for stocky nature, early showing, and cheerful 3½ in. flowers of deep yellow .....	20	Sept. 20	1.00	2.75

Name	Height (In.)	Date of Bloom	Price Each	3
TREVANIA. (Bristol) III. P. 7—We think you'll like this late season beauty, bred by Mrs. Lewis Mack, New Canaan, Conn. Fetching 3 in. flowers, recurving, with roped central effect, best described as charming coral-peach. Fine for New Jersey latitude, where willowy stems can develop fully for pastel bouquet touches .....	30	Oct. 10	1.00	2.75
VINTAGE. (Bristol) III. P. 5 — Boasts regal tints of fine wines, accelerating in appeal as days grow brisker. Royal 3 in. blooms, velvety claret to spinel-red, accent the landscape .....	20	Sept. 26	.75	2.00
VULCAN—Easy going, very early crimson for cold sections. Lively 2 in. blooms in good array .....	20	Sept. 20	.50	1.40
WHITE SAIL—Robustly durable 3 in. white, almost antiseptically clean, very compact bush .....	24	Oct. 1	.50	1.40
YELLOW AVALANCHE. III. P. 5 — Warmly regarded for subtle hues of fluffy 3½ in. flowers of tenderly soft yellow. Always welcome .....	20	Sept. 20	.65	1.65

## SPIDERS

THREADS — RAYONNANTES — FUJIS — Whatever you call them!  
Long, gracefully drooping petals. Best disbudded to 9 in. or more!  
Nothing more exotic, more unearthly in beauty, for areas of late frosts.

Name	Height (In.)	Date of Bloom	Price Each	3
BRIDESMAID. New. III. P. 18 — Compact, nearly dwarf, grand as pot plant. Magnificent, large soft lavender pink of superior quality .....	24	Oct. 30	.85	2.35
BUNBU. III. P. 18—Delightful orchid pink of long, tubular petals.....	30	Oct. 25	.85	2.35
KIMIE. III. P. 18 — Actually a huge yellow spoon, yet so tremendous and lissome it fits in with alacrity .....	30	Oct. 30	.85	2.35
NIGHTINGALE. III. P. 18 — Superlatively lovely pale chartreuse-yellow, soft greenish haze in buds .....	30	Oct. 25	.85	2.35

Name	Height (In.)	Date of Bloom	Price Each	3
SONDRA GAILL. III. P. 18—A stunner, seemingly reddened over buff, coral and bronze tones. Wonderful stems.....	30	Oct. 25	.85	2.35
SUNNYSLOPE SPLENDOR. III. P. 18 — Incredibly snow-white, faintly overlaid green, a picture disbudded .....	30	Oct. 25	.85	2.35
TOPFLIGHT. III. P. 18 — The awesome but lovable "Spider with Muscles"! Proud arching white petals, lush, full-bodied center. The Watusi of the spiders—a giant of flowing, rippling grace!.....	32	Oct. 30	.85	2.35

## POMPOMS

"DAPPER DANS", with trim globes for cutting or garden alike.

Name	Height (In.)	Date of Bloom	Price Each	3
ALI BABA. New for 1960. (Bristol 125-55) III. P. 17—Sinewy, weather-tough yet exotically handsome. Numerous 1½ in. spheres, claret-purple like neat pellets of currant jelly. Fine to cut, very hardy.....	26	Oct. 5	1.00	2.75
BLANCHE LITWILER. III. P. 17—Beautiful ball-shaped 2½ in. flower, soft lavender pink to near white. Artistry plus vigor.....	26	Sept. 28	.75	2.00
CANARY WONDER. (Bristol) III. P. 17 — Breathlessly lovely canary-primrose yellow in superb sprays.....	30	Oct. 1	.65	1.65
CANDLEGLOW—New. Appears to be 2 in. decorative pompon, white with glowing yellow eye. Very fine erect habit.....	26	Oct. 1	.75	2.00
CHIQUITA — Pert little dome-formed yellow .....	20	Sept. 20	.65	1.65
CRYSTAL — New. III. P. 17—Broad-petaled snow white, about 2 in., on fine straight stems. Will be good cutflower.....	28	Sept. 28	.75	2.00
FRED F. ROCKWELL. (Bristol) Plant Pat. 718. III. P. 17. Rakish, frost-hardy orange-scarlet to bronze tones truly serve as fall tonic. "Beau Brummel" of the pomps.....	24	Oct. 1	.85	2.35
IMPROVED EARLY WONDER — Smooth rose pink .....	30	Oct. 1	.50	1.40

Name	Height (In.)	Date of Bloom	Price Each	3
JUBILEE. (Bristol) III. P. 16—Gay beams of red delight for weeks. Compact, branched little producer .....	18	Oct. 1	.65	1.65
JULIE B. III. P. 16—Frisky, very early white button, low growing and lovable. Like deceptively angelic tot you'd better watch!.....	20	Sept. 15	.85	2.35
LAVENDER BUTTON. III. P. 21—New. Best of color, which is deep lavender. 1 in. flower, big sprays, long stems to cut.....	28	Sept. 28	.50	1.40
PEPITA—Endearing, for egg-shell yellow buds finally become chaste white globes. Roly-poly clump .....	20	Sept. 15	.65	1.65
ROSITA — A comely little hump of Persian rose-pink .....	20	Sept. 15	.65	1.65
ROYALIST. (Bristol) III. P. 17—Dazzling indeed as velvety oxblood-red gloss covers tidy 1½ in. spheres luxuriantly .....	21	Oct. 1	.85	2.35
SEARCHLIGHT. (Bristol 136-55) III. P. 17 — New for 1960. So vivid it's almost seething! Simply loaded with spectacular 1½ in. balls, a medley of tangerine, bronze and orange. Most bountiful, hardy and flame-throwing .....	24	Sept. 28	1.00	2.75
WHITE WONDER. (Bristol) — Unparalleled for cutting, a liberal source of pretty white pompons .....	30	Oct. 1	.65	1.65

# SINGLES

*The Fabled Original Korean Hybrids.*  
These unrehearsed daisies are airy to arrange, and bloom with prodigality.

Name	Height (Ins.)	Date of Bloom	Price Each	Price 3
<b>APOLLO.</b> (Bristol) III. P. 17—Flashing orange-bronze .....	30	Oct. 10	.65	1.65
<b>CERES.</b> (Bristol) III. P. 17—Harvest special, pale copper to straw-yellow.....	30	Oct. 10	.65	1.65
<b>DAISY-MUM.</b> III. P. 17—Well fed plumpness in 3-4 rows of alabaster-white. 3 in. bloom cuts neatly .....	24	Sept. 25	.75	2.00
<b>DAPHNE.</b> (Bristol) III. P. 17—Refined, unruffled pastel old-rose .....	30	Oct. 15	.65	1.65
<b>FIRE ENGINE.</b> III. P. 17—Stirring cardinal red, orange on reverses, occasionally spooned. Quite exhilarating .....	28	Oct. 1	.65	1.65

Name	Height (Ins.)	Date of Bloom	Price Each	Price 3
<b>FRED STONE.</b> III. P. 15—Often classed as double, but serves nobly as duplex-single type. Always enlivens with huge 4 in. blooms, dazzling velvety red. A startling, erect accent, mammoth if disbudded.....	30	Oct. 8	.75	2.00
<b>GOLD DAISY.</b> III. P. 17—Early, lovable bright yellow, 3 in. daisies on upright clump.....	20	Sept. 22	.75	2.00
<b>NORTH STAR.</b> (Bristol) III. P. 17—A "must" for corsages, hardy and early in garden. A white treasure .....	24	Sept. 25	.75	2.00
<b>SUMMERTIME.</b> —Sorry—sold out until 1961.				

# SPOONS

Petals contrived into artful spoon shape. Captivate ladies, young and younger!

Name	Height (Ins.)	Date of Bloom	Price Each	Price 3
<b>CARDINAL SPOON.</b> III. P. 18—Refreshing cardinal red with stunning golden reverses .....	24	Oct. 1	.75	2.00
<b>CHARM SPOON.</b> III. P. 18—Quaint blend rhodonite-red to deep rose, creamy near centers. Quite doubled blossom.....	24	Oct. 3	.75	2.00
<b>CLARKE CORAL SPOON.</b> III. P. 18—Unusually large 3 in. apricot-bronze, vivid and lively .....	24	Oct. 3	.75	2.00
<b>GARNET SPOON.</b> III. P. 18—Deeply garnet purple petals and yellow throats highlight any arrangement .....	26	Oct. 1	.65	1.65
<b>JESSAMINE WILLIAMS.</b> III. P. 18—Matchless grower, many lovely 3 in. quilled double baubles of unsullied white .....	20	Oct. 1	.75	2.00

Name	Height (Ins.)	Date of Bloom	Price Each	Price 3
<b>JIMMY SPOON.</b> III. P. 18—New. Very impressive here, in spite of frightful weather. Rather full 3 in., orchid-lavender in fine cutting spray. Excellent habit, glistening effects .....	24	Oct. 5	1.00	2.75
<b>ORCHID SPOON</b> — Superb to arrange, this soothing orchid-lilac .....	24	Oct. 1	.65	1.65
<b>RADIANT</b> —New. Could be a prizewinner in good season. Erect, powerful stems, majestic habit—plus 3 in. quill spoon of several rows—in boldly glistening white. Well named, indeed .....	26	Oct. 8	.85	2.35
<b>YELLOW SPOON.</b> III. P. 18—A glorious garden accent, a treasury of golden animation .....	24	Oct. 1	.75	2.00

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# CUSHIONS AND LOW GROWERS

Modern miracles — "INSTANT MUMS" of early, stocky abundance — "PUSHBUTTON MUMS" of little care. Delightful for rock garden, borders, Sunny Cape Cod homes, etc. Older clumps may bloom by August 1!

Name	Height (Ins.)	Date of Bloom	Price Each	Price 3
<b>BANTAM YELLOW.</b> (Bristol) — Like sunkissed rug of soft lemon-primrose yellow. Individual 2 1/2 in. blooms excel.....	12	Sept. 25	.85	2.35
<b>BOWL O' GOLD.</b> (Bristol) III. P. 8—Buoyant, irrepressible, still about the best yellow cushion .....	12	Sept. 10	.85	2.35
<b>BRONZE QUEEN.</b> III. P. 9—Countless deep walnut bronze blossoms of good size—an ornate cushion .....	15	Sept. 20	.85	2.35
<b>CHOCOLATE DROP.</b> (Bristol 124-55) III. P. 16—New for 1960. Fetching 1 in. button, varying from glossy oxblood red to chocolate-maroon, nearly ebony as season advances. Long attractive, nice cutting sprays, hardy. A swell, swarthy little button!.....	22	Oct. 1	1.00	2.75
<b>CORSAGE CUSHION.</b> (Bristol) III. P. 8—No lovelier cushion exists—a tasteful doll's house cuteness plus quantity. Precious 2 in. pompons, magically fringed in carnation edging, open pearly pink, become ivory white. Each bloom a boutonniere, each spray a sweet corsage. Blooms earlier in other sections .....	15	Oct. 1	1.00	2.75
<b>DAN FOLEY.</b> (Bristol)—Flashing, flaming inferno of tangerine to fiery orange-scarlet. Seems to leap flames, seeks to electrify all outdoors! .....	18	Oct. 1	1.00	2.75
<b>EARLY HARVEST</b> —Tingling mahogany-red to orange-bronze .....	12	Sept. 15	.65	1.65

Name	Height (Ins.)	Date of Bloom	Price Each	Price 3
<b>ERNIE MEAD.</b> III. P. 16—A stunner at season's zenith, dome-shaped clump flashing dark-eyed gold-bronze pompons .....	15	Oct. 10	.75	2.00
<b>FLAME.</b> New. III. P. 21—Quaint novelty cushion, 1 1/2 in. spoon-tipped, dark red blossoms, yellow at centers. Giddy .....	18	Sept. 25	.85	2.35
<b>GLOW-WORM.</b> (Bristol) — Energetic, stubby tangerine-scarlet to bronzy red, very hardy .....	18	Sept. 15	.50	1.40
<b>GOLDEN CARPET.</b> (Bristol) III. P. 9—The one and only "Marvelous Mound"! A veritable carpet blanketing ground with golden pompons .....	12	Sept. 25	.85	2.35
<b>GREMLIN.</b> (Bristol) III. P. 16—A September lark, a very early hint of fall to come. Fine, rounded 1 1/2-2 in. pompons, softly orchid pink, highlighted by coquettish maroon eye. Catchy blend for corsages, a gem for early seasons, a free blooming little rascal!.....	18	Sept. 15	1.00	2.75
<b>JOAN HELEN.</b> III. P. 9—So dependable we don't appreciate it! Engaging mass of gladsome crimson-purple. Glossy and early .....	16	Sept. 22	.75	2.00
<b>JOYOUS.</b> (Bristol) III. P. 16—Radiant in garden or bouquet, the wondrous rose pink hazed in gold .....	18	Sept. 28	.75	2.00
<b>KINDLE.</b> New. III. P. 21—Tickles our fancy—the inimitable deep rose to currant red—the carnation petallage—the odd little central floral cushion. Takes frost well, too .....	18	Sept. 25	.85	2.35

# CUSHIONS AND LOW GROWERS, continued

Name	Height (Ins.)	Date of Bloom	Price Each	3
LEE DICK — Perfectly round lemon-straw yellow pompons, a cushion of character.....	15	Sept. 28	.50	1.40
LIPSTICK. III. P. 8 — The finest, fieriest red cushion. Seems to ooze ripe strawberry nectar .....	15	Sept. 15	.75	2.00
MASQUERADE. (Bristol) — Seems to tease, as saucy red eye pierces silvery lilac globes. Very popular .....	20	Oct. 5	.75	2.00
MESABI. New — We are reliably told this cushion draped in rusty bronze pompons will be a knockout.....	18	Sept. 20	1.00	2.75
MINNBRONZE — Densely populated bronze mound .....	12	Sept. 15	.65	1.65
MINNEHAHA. III. P. 9 — Extraordinarily polished for cushion, with perfect 2½ in. blooms of gorgeous coral sandalwood pink. Slickly professional yet early and productive, too .....	20	Sept. 15	.85	2.35
MINNPK. III. P. 9 — Much-cut foliar hill-ock, then countless rose-pink blossoms of cheery warmth .....	12	Sept. 18	.75	2.00
PINK SURPRISE. III. P. 5 — Well-molded apple-blossom pink, early and profuse.....	22	Sept. 10	.65	1.65
POWDER PUFF. (Bristol) — Very widely grown white cushion of notable hardiness.....	12	Sept. 10	.65	1.65
RAGGEDY ANN. III. P. 9 — Almost impudent, for the comely white blooms are deeply fringed like carnations. Well-fed 18 in. bush really beckons the eye.....	18	Sept. 28	.85	2.35

Name	Height (Ins.)	Date of Bloom	Price Each	3
RED MISCHIEF. New — Brighter, more colorful version of old "Mischief." Hordes of tiny deep red daisies, like cineraria. Whimsical yet significant ornament.....	20	Oct. 3	.85	2.35
ROUGE CUSHION.—As "old apples are the toothsomest" so is this shapely dark red cushion proven by the years.....	15	Sept. 22	.75	2.00
SATELLITE. III. P. 21. New — A redoubtable new cushion, the finest early purple yet. Large blossoms, rich, long-lasting gloss, a manly little bush with brilliant early showing — it's great!.....	14	Sept. 15	1.00	2.75
TRANQUILLITY. (Bristol) III. P. 16 — Utterly delicious morsel, this early pyramid of joy. Superbly soft canary-primrose yellow flowers abound — irresistible!.....	20	Sept. 20	.75	2.00
TWINKLE. III. P. 9 — Highly desirable purple pompons of fuchsia tones. A handsome cushion .....	18	Sept. 25	.65	1.65
VIV — Blossoms nearly 3 in., colored an indescribable Indian red, make this cushion wholly picturesque .....	18	Sept. 25	.75	2.00
WEE WILLIE. New — Saucy little white pompons bedeck the squatly cushion frame. Willie is welcome!.....	14	Sept. 20	.75	2.00
WHITE MOUND — Nice 3 in. double white, a creamy mound in effect.....	12	Sept. 20	.65	1.65

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These are those gigantic blooms of sumptuous perfections. Leave one to four stems per plant, one bud per stem. Full instructions with each order. Avidly desired for opulent majesty.

Name	Height (Ins.)	Date of Bloom	Price Each	3
AFTERCLOW. New — Striking, nearly reflex flowers of vivid amber-yellow, initially almost orange .....	36	Oct. 25	1.00	2.75
BRONZE KATHLEEN DOWARD. New — Amiable giantess of robust health, great blossoms of orange-amber bronze to astound..	36	Oct. 22	1.00	2.75
DEREK ELLIS — Dramatic incurved claret-purple .....	30	Oct. 15	.75	2.00
DOROTHY ALLFREY. III. P. 20 — Tremendous incurves of glistening bronze-amber.....	30	Oct. 15	.75	2.00
DRUM MAJOR. (Bristol) — Normally a fine, ruggedly erect late season marvel — but you should try it disbudded! Gives 6 in. orange-bronze cactuses with heady golden crowns in center. Flaming brilliance guaranteed! .....	32	Oct. 15	.85	2.35
ETHEL EDMONDS. III. P. 21 — England's Shoemsmith calls it "oyster-cream" in coloring — he could be right. Certainly a uniquely lovely pastel, lightly reflexed.....	30	Oct. 15	.75	2.00
EVELYN BUSH. III. P. 21 — Favorite English incurve, a grand white of much merit.....	30	Oct. 22	.85	2.35
GOLDEN AGE — Lip-smacking golden yellow in great demand. Notably early.....	26	Sept. 25	.85	2.35
GOSSAMER. III. P. 20 — New. A potent, weather-tough newcomer of great promise. Fine hardy petals, incurved form, and tinted bright rose pink later hazed in silver	30	Oct. 22	1.00	2.75
GREEN GODDESS — Certainly off the beaten path for fanciers. Informal Japanese incurve, 6 in. of luminescent sea green vapors over creamy white petals. Emphatically bright lettuce green as buds unfold... the greenest mum you ever saw.....	36	Nov. 1	1.00	2.75
HAMBURG. III. P. 21 — Natty golden incurve, a polished vibrant specimen of easy-going nature .....	30	Oct. 15	.75	2.00
INVICTA. III. P. 21 — Rather dwarf, yet the glossy orange-bronze incurves are perfect and last splendidly.....	30	Oct. 15	.85	2.35

Name	Height (Ins.)	Date of Bloom	Price Each	3
JOHN WOOLMAN — Long noted as standard of silvery rose pink incurved excellence. A real campaigner .....	30	Oct. 18	.75	2.00
MAJOR BOWES. III. P. 21 — Crisp incurves, very large, from stunning orchid-rose to phlox-purple .....	32	Oct. 20	.75	2.00
MRS. H. E. KIDDER. III. P. 20 — A classic lemon-yellow incurve still the best of all. How can one ask for greater size, richer color or more sterling performance?.....	30	Oct. 12	.75	2.00
REGALIA. III. P. 20 — Our "boy" this year, even richer than pictured. Gorgeous lacquered bright rosy purple reflexes, slow to fade, an eyeful for sure!.....	28	Oct. 12	1.00	2.75
SILVERY GLEAM — Thoroughly amiable silvery lilac-pink, plumply tiered. Size may astound	28	Oct. 10	.75	2.00
STYLIST. III. P. 21 — Liquid sunshine, a bright yellow, reflexing prize of tissue paper crispness .....	26	Oct. 12	.75	2.00
SULTAN. III. P. 21 — Could be the best red. Generous full incurves, brightly alert, some gold on reverses.....	30	Oct. 20	.85	2.35
SUNAVON. III. P. 20 — So easy, so rewarding, so friendly we often forget its grandeur. A toprank reflex, heartily chrome-yellow — seems to love life!.....	30	Oct. 10	.85	2.35
SUPERLATIVE. III. P. 20 — Gigantic, artistically layered incurve of impeccable snow-white — a gem of purity.....	28	Oct. 12	.75	2.00
SUPREMACY. New — Giant white like Superlative, seeks to unseat latter as best of color. Maybe it will, at that!.....	32	Oct. 18	1.00	2.75
WESTFIELD BRONZE. III. P. 20 — So magnetic it's almost impetuous, this fabulous orange-bronze of such intense depth.....	30	Oct. 12	.85	2.35
WHITE SWAN. III. P. 15 — Surprisingly fine not disbudded but a thickly incurved vision of waxy ivory gleams if disbudded. Admirable, sinewy clump.....	28	Oct. 15	.85	2.35

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Group Illustration

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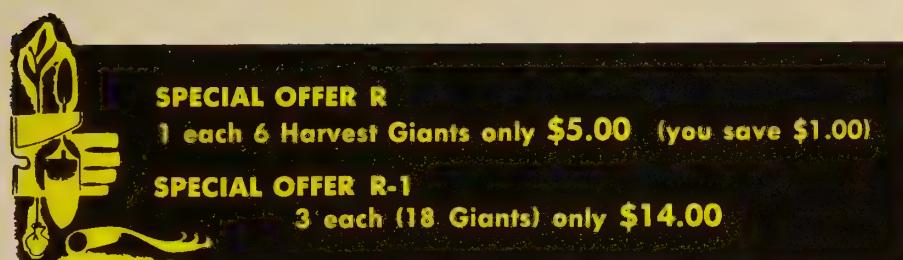
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## Harvest Giants



Indian Summer

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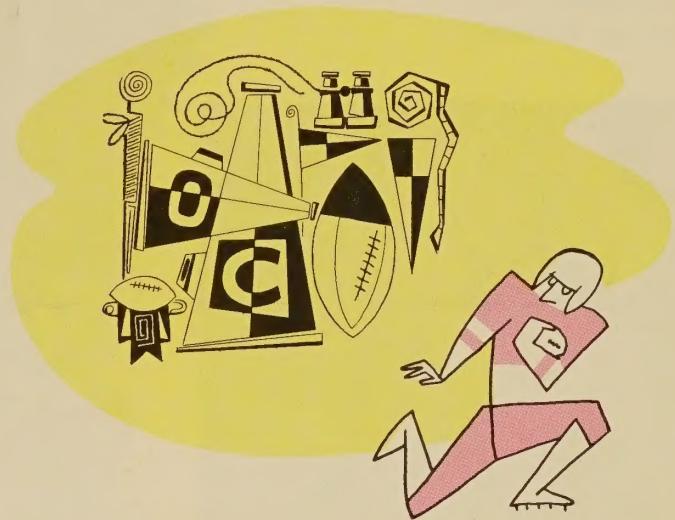
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**Lavender Button** — Button Pompon 50c ea., 3 for \$1.40  
**Bottom: Kindle** — fringed, crested, low 85c ea., 3 for \$2.35  
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Satellite — Tomorrow's Purple Cushion, We'll Bet!

# Selected Bristol Perennials

## Lovable Fall Asters

Winsome — hardy — fruitful daisies  
Divide each spring — sun or part shade.  
Choicest Varieties



Aster-Pink Bouquet



Aster-'Picture'

## Dwarf Asters

Mounded profusion for rock garden or border.

Jean — Clear, decisive lilac-blue. 18 in.

Melbourne Early Red — Easily best of its color. 18 in.

Pink Bouquet — Lively warm rose pink. 15 in.

White Fairy — Snow-mantled midget. 15 in.

All Asters 75c ea., 3 of any one \$2.00 (Potted Plants)

## Baby's Breath Great Sprays of Snowy Lace

**GYPSOPHILA BRISTOL FAIRY** (Bristol) — Beloved filler for summer bouquets, billowing its gossamer froth lightly and tastefully. In the border, a conciliatory peacemaker near strong colors. Sunny, very well-drained ground, not acid (you can add lime)—at least 3-4 ft. of space.

\$1.00 each, 3 for \$2.75

**GYPSOPHILA PERFECTA** — A newer form, fascinating because each bloom is at least twice as large as Bristol Fairy's. Same foaming growth, cultural needs, and mammoth sprays.

\$1.25 each, 3 for \$3.50

## Heuchera Ingratiating Coral Bells

Willowy, wiry stems thronged with pretty bells to cut. Refines any border. Clumps of 3 at 15 in. intervals ideal. Comely foliage too. June-Sept. if kept free of seed.

Divide each fourth August

Set 1 in. deep—Average Soil—Sun or Part Shade.

**Scarlet Sentinel** (Bristol) A spectacle in scarlet, large vermilion-tinted bells during summer. Wonderfully erect 3 ft. stems, richly veined and lobed foliage. Really gorgeous and brilliant.

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**French White** Indestructible, well studded with creamy white bells.

75c ea., 3 for \$2.00

## Tall Growing Asters

**Clarity (Bristol)** Nothing could be whiter. 3 ft.

**Eventide** — Majestic, erect deep violet-blue. 3 1/2 ft.

**Glorious** — Shining, large mauve pink. 3 ft.

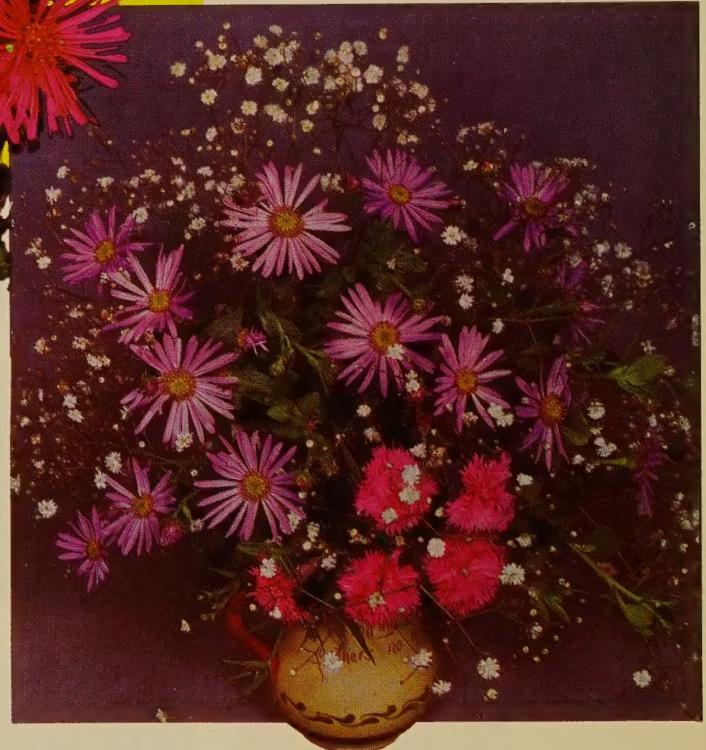
**Marie Ballard** — Soft powdery blue, nearly double. 3 ft.

**Picture** — A stunning spectacle. 2 in. rose red, radiant and vigorous. 3 ft.

**Radar (Bristol)** The reddest we have seen. 2 1/2 ft.

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Aster Frikarti with Dianthus Pink Princess and Bristol Fairy Gypsophila



## Aster Frikarti

Everyone's Blue!

Unfettered mass of bewitching blue daisies all summer. Sparkles in arrangements, cools heated border colors. Informal 2 ft. clump, wants very porous, sunny soil, not too rich. Very popular.

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## Hardy Carnations

Scented Jewels To Pick

Crisp gray leaf spears. Best in sunny, well-drained spot not too acid.

**DIANTHUS JOHN BALL** — Plump white petals, to red centers, in rapt clove-wafting harmony. Originated in Victoria's English reign, still unbounded in energy and vigor.

**PINK PRINCESS** — Also easy and carefree. Bears numerous bright pink carnations, shaded to coral, and artfully fringed from late May on. About 15 in.

Carnations 85c ea., 3 of either one \$2.35

# Summer Phlox

## PINKS

**GNOME** — New. West German dwarf, rounded heads of very deep rose pink, nearly red. Only about 20 in.

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**FAIRY'S PETTICOAT** — Mammoth masses of soft pastel pink overcast in palest mulberry. Size will amaze, shading will be guile.

**WINDSOR** — Rich salmon pink flushed carmine. Trim, free-blooming dandy. 3 ft.

Above Two 75c ea., 3 of either \$2.00

## LILAC LAVENDER

**LITTLE LOVELY** — New. Cute little bush, fine heads of pale violet-lavender, occasional white eye. Grand in late summer. 18 in.

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**LILACTIME** — Simply superb, one of the greatest phlox of all time. Tremendous florets of lovely clear lilac, in wonderfully good taste. Bursts with good health. 3 ft. These new English beauties are thrilling at twilight, when they seem nearly blue.

**BOULEVARDIER** — New. Honest, erect bush well topped in novel lavender-purple tones. 3 ft.

Above Two 75c ea., 3 of either \$2.00



Phlox Little Lovely

## Mainstays Of Border

Big, Lavishly Colored Heads — Hayfield Scent  
Sun or part shade — 2 ft. apart — divide  
each 3-4 years, good, rich soil.  
Snip off faded flower heads to encourage  
steady blooming.

## REDS

**SILVER LINING** — New. Tempting cherry-crimson shot through by silvery beams. Unique 3 ft.

**FANAL** — Startling blood red, entralling near sunset. 2 1/2 ft.

Above Two 85c ea., 3 of either \$2.35

**HOLYROOD** — Dwarf ball of fire, huge scarlet-tangerine crowns. Only 20 in.

**THUNDERBOLT (Bristol)** — Wanton splash of tangerine - scarlet overlaid salmon orange. Huge, rouge-centered heads. 2 1/2 ft.

**SPITFIRE** — Torrid orange scarlet. 2 1/2 ft.

Above Three 75c ea., 3 of any one \$2.00

## WHITE

**MARY LOUISE** — Marble purity pervades the frosty trusses. 3 ft.

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Echinops-Taplow Blue

## The Strapping Globe Thistle

### ECHINOPS TAPLOW BLUE

Towering, steel-blue floral spheres to cast thistly late summer accents. Robust specimen of inimitable spring foliage. Stems are superb to cut, flowers dry rewardingly. A "curious frame of Nature's work" for sunny dry spots. 3 1/2 ft.

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## Veronicas

Tapering Spires of Summer  
Cut Nicely — Streamline Borders

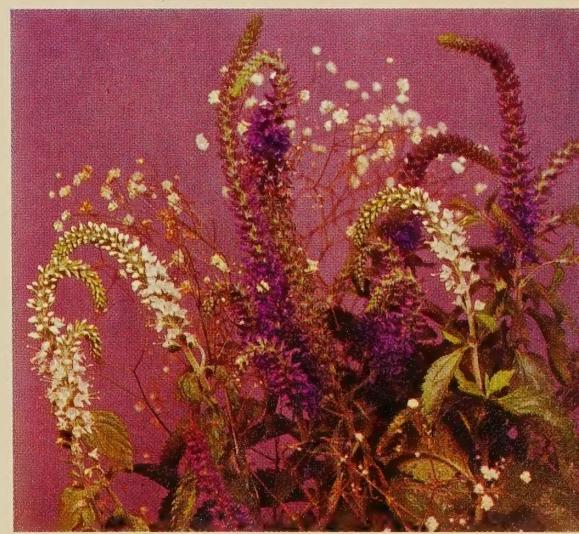
**ICICLE (Bristol)** — Perhaps the finest white perennial, diligently unleashing smooth ivory plumes all summer. Soothing gray foliage, ironclad hardiness. Sun, fair soil.

**MINUET** — Easy going rose pink spears top restful gray-green leaf clumps late June-August. Long-lived acquisition. 18 in.

**HOLOPHYLLA** — Chunky, puckish enough for rock garden. Deep indigo-blue tapers aggressively pierce glossy leathery leaf mounds in late summer. Only 12-15 in., likely to tickle one's fancy.

Above Three Veronicas 75c ea.,

3 of any one \$2.00



Veronica-Sunny Border Blue  
and Veronica-Icicle

**SUNNY BORDER BLUE** — Outstanding even for lushly dark foliage, but rich deep blue spikes also sparkle all summer. Ruggedly hardy, cools the most sun-splashed garden.

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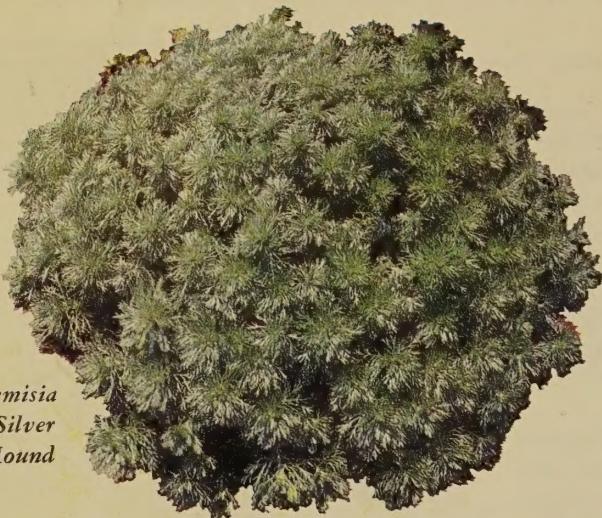
### Magic Wands of Summer

Totally unfastidious—wet or dry soil—sun or shade. Cut all summer.

**Morden Gleam** — Nearly red, deepest carmine-rose spire hovering above bronzy young leaves. 3 1/2 ft.

**Morden Pink** — Hardy as oak, yet postures elegantly for months on end. Warmly welcome rose pink tapers. 3 1/2 ft.

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